House Resolution No. 362

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to acknowledge the important role that this state's public schools play in the educational development of countless Missouri youngsters; and

Whereas, the Affton School District in St. Louis, County, is one of seventeen school districts that will be honored during the Distinction in Performance Awards Dinner to be held March 14, 2002, at the Junior League of St. Louis; and

Whereas, sponsored by the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education and the St. Louis Regional Professional Development Center in partnership with Cooperating School Districts, the Distinction Performance Award was established to recognize school districts with high or improved performance based upon Annual Performance Report (APR) information; and

Whereas, the Affton School District earned recognition for Distinction in Performance by meeting the twelve possible Performance Indicators for K-12 districts; and

Whereas, in order to receive the Distinction in Performance Award, the Affton School District also had to meet all MAP Performance Standards; and

Whereas, the Affton School District continues a proud tradition of excellence by providing quality education under the outstanding leadership of teachers, faculty, and staff, all of whom are to be applauded for their hard work and tremendous dedication in reaching this impressive achievement:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations and best wishes to District Superintendent Dr. Gay Tompkins and to the students and staff of the Affton School District at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction which reflects creditably upon the entire community; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for the Affton School District in Affton, Missouri.

Offered by	
	Representative May Scheve
	District No. 98
	Representative Kathlyn Fares
	District No. 91
Ninety-first	der, Speaker of the House of Representatives, t General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution	No. 362, adopted February 21, 2002.
 Jim Kreide	er, Speaker